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# HEMEROCALLIS

• Daylilies •

## Spring 1950

You will receive *large, strong plants* of fine, selected varieties that you will be proud to grow in your garden. By planting these this Spring many will bloom for you the first summer.

About one-half of the Daylilies offered are mentioned in the yearbook of the *Hemerocallis Society* as among the most popular varieties—see page 130 of the 1949 yearbook—and while most of the others are newer and not so well known, as of yet, they will “hold their own” in the Hemerocallis world for many years to come.

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JOIN THE HEMEROCALLIS SOCIETY

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Mrs. Pearl Sherwood, Atlantic, Iowa

Annual dues are \$3.00

# SPECIAL No. 1

\$2.00 each, or 7 (one of a variety) for \$9.00

**AFTERGLOW** (Stout). Pale buff and pastel peach with a rosy tint. Nice.  
**BEACON FLAME** (Nesmith). Low growing, very dark fiery red. Very fine.  
**CABALLERO** (Stout). Yellow and rose bicolor; like a huge butterfly.  
**BICOLOR** (Stout). Petals light rosy red, sepals of yellow.  
**BLACK PRINCE** (Russell). A Prince indeed! Red with a black overlay.  
**BLACK HILLS** (Russell). Nice shape in almost true black. Attractive.  
**CARNIVAL** (Traub). Moro red with a large orange throat. Long season.  
**CLARION** (Flowerfield). Lovely dark pink; full flower of medium size.  
**CRAEMORE RUBY** (Plouf). Large, intense ruby self. Many blooms.  
**CRYSTAL PINK** (Nesmith). Full, ruffled form of light buff and medium pink.  
**DOROTHY McDADE** (Sass). Clear, pure light yellow tubular-shaped flower.  
**DRAGON** (Nesmith). Tall, tangerine-red self. Fine near a Mountain Ash tree.  
**DR. STOUT** (Traub). Rich orange, overlaid bright cinnamon; different.  
**HIGHLAND CHIEFTAIN** (Nesmith). Tubular shaped lavender-rose; unusual shade.  
**MASSASOIT** (Nesmith). Flaring red flowers with a copper lustre. Tallest.  
**MATADOR** (Nesmith). Very brilliant mahogany red with full, short petals.  
**MRS. HUGH JOHSON** (Russell). Fiery red with a satin sheen; unfading.  
**PERSIAN PRINCESS** (Nesmith). Dark red flushed purple. Almost black eye zone.  
**PAISLEY** (Nesmith). An unusual sepia dusted flower. Like a Paisley shawl.  
**PIQUANTE** (Nesmith). Raspberery pink tone; tall, quite pink clump.  
**PRINCESS** (Stout). Clear, uniform, pale lemon yellow with full form.  
**ROSALIND** (Species). Rose pink; finest of the species.  
**TOREADOR** (Flowerfield). Deep rose mauve; tall and different color.  
**RED TOKEN** (Russell). Brilliant, very deep red with a lovely velvet sheen.

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## HEMEROCALLIS

add just the right touch to your garden to bring out the charm and excitement you have been looking for. They are easily grown, and are so effective in the perennial border, in the foreground of the shrubbery border, for naturalizing through partly shaded woods, along the banks of lakes and streams and are adaptable to any climate. They can be planted any time of the year when the ground is not frozen, but our experience has been that they do better if planted in the spring or just after they are through blooming. DO NOT PLANT YOUR HEMEROCALLIS TOO DEEP. Spread your roots well out and allow for one inch of soil over where the roots join the crown of the plant.

The rapid development and improvement in Hemerocallis is giving us splendid new varieties to brighten our gardens at a time of year when there is a scarcity of bloom in our borders. We now have beautiful Daylilies, up to eight inches across, in shades that vary from pinks, reds, wines, maroon to purple, in many interesting shapes and forms.

# SPECIAL No. 2

\$1.50 each, or 7 (one of a variety) for \$6.25

- ANNIS V. RUSSELL** (Russell). Huge, clear wide petaled yellow.
- AUTUMN RED** (Nesmith). Wide open, true velvety red; long blooming season.
- BARONET** (Stout). Full, short, broad petals of sprightly fulvous red.
- CHENG TU** (Species). Brilliant, coppery orange red; carmine midzone.
- DUCHESS OF WINDSOR** (Traub). Full, rounded cream; lightly shaded halo.
- EVANGELINE** (Russell). Very large, rosy red with a deep wine eye zone.
- GOLD COAST** (Emig.). 7-inch flower of deep orange gold; wide and fine.
- HESPERUS** (H. P. Sass). A marvelous lemon chrome with 7-inch blooms.
- MATADOR** (Nesmith). Very brilliant mahogany red with full form.
- MISCHIEF** (Russell). Golden brown with full petals and small throat.
- MRS. B. F. BONNER** (Russell). Huge, wide petaled flower of light yellow.
- MRS. JOHN J. TIGERT** (Watkins). Large, brilliant coppery red self.
- NEBRASKA** (Sass). Large, mellow buff-yellow of high quality.
- ON TOUR** (Russell). Very large pale yellow with twisted petals; reblooms.
- PORT** (Stout). Full, small flowers of rich, sprightly red. Low growing.
- PRISCILLA** (Russell). Gorgeous salmon self; a favorite clump.
- SACHEM** (Stout). Dark, near carmine-red. Good, unfading red.
- SAMSON** (Emig.). Huge, full bloom exactly the color of a ripe cantaloupe.
- SPITFIRE** (Russell). A good, bright red for the front of your garden. 2 feet.
- TEJAS** (Russell). The brightest red imaginable for edging your border. 2 feet.
- THE ALAMO** (Russell). Colored like a Persian rug. Best in part shade.
- VULCAN** (Stout). Even-toned, light velvety maroon; 5-inch bloom.
- WAU-BUN** (Stout). Huge, twisted petals of soft yellow overcast red.
- ZOUAVE** (Stout). Attractive, early fulvous red bicolor; reblooms.

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## WORDS OF APPRECIATION

*"In today's mail I received my Daylilies. They are beautiful, fresh looking plants. Thank you."*  
New Iberia, La.

*"This is to report that Daylilies—Dawn Play, Sweetbriar and Piquante—that I ordered from you THIS PAST SPRING all surprised me with beautiful bloom stalks. This I did not expect so soon after planting and naturally feel that you must send out excellent plants."*  
Sardis, Miss.

*"Those Hemerocallis plants you sent me looked so good that I have decided to add a few more which may be included with the rest of my Fall shipment."*  
Oregon.

*"Received my order of Daylilies, which were in splendid shape. Thanks a lot for your speedy service."*  
Louisville, Ky.

*"The balance of the Daylilies arrived in fine condition and I want you to know I am delighted with the quality of the plants."*  
Oregon.

*"Received the Daylily plants and was very pleased with them. They are the best Daylily plants I have ever received from any grower."*  
Newark, N. J.

*"The Daylilies came today and in fine condition. They look as if they had just come out of the ground. I have never received plants packed so nicely, and you send very nice plants. I will be ordering again this fall."*  
Detroit, Mich.

*"The Daylilies arrived today and without doubt are the nicest plants I have ever received from anywhere. Thanks for the gift."*  
Parma, Idaho.

# SPECIAL No. 3

50c each, or 6 (one of a variety) for \$2.25

- AUGUST PIONEER** (Stout). Chrome orange with a delicate flush of red.
- BAGDAD** (Stout). Brown and orange tones; rich coloring.
- BAY STATE** (Betscher). Large, fine, deep yellow with fluted petals.
- BONFIRE** (Russell). Yellow, overcast bright red; fine form, medium size.
- BOUTONNIERE** (Stout). Small flowers with wide petals; light rosy peach.
- CINNABAR** (Betscher). Small orange, overlaid red; bright and shiny.
- DAUNTLESS** (Stout). Pale gold polychrome with thick substance.
- D. D. WYMAN** (Betscher). Large, golden yellow with tawny flush; good in shade.
- DOVER** (Betscher). Early, broad petaled true, clear orange; extra fine.
- GEORGE YELD** (Perry). Orange, suffused apricot; huge. Best in shade.
- GOLDEN BELL** (Ruys). Apricot yellow with wide petals and fine form; good.
- GOLDEN SCEPTER** (Nesmith). Waxy, deep yellow flowers with fluted edges.
- GYPSY** (Betscher). Bright orange with fulvous flush; evergreen.
- HYPERION** (Mead). Extra popular, very large, soft canary yellow self.
- J. A. CRAWFORD** (Betscher). Very large, fine, clear yellow; a favorite.
- J. T. RUSSELL** (Russell). Full 6-inch yellow with cinnamon eye zone; good.
- LENA BROCK HOOVER** (Russell). Large, wide petals, dark mahogany red-purple.
- LINDA** (Stout). Cream and rose bicolor; ruffled and rose eye zone. Fine.
- MIKADO** (Stout). Very attractive, soft orange eyed purple-red. Favorite.
- MRS. A. H. AUSTIN** (Betscher). Mammoth flowers of rich golden yellow. Grand.
- MT. VERNON** (Russell). Tall, lemon overcast coral rose; huge lemon throat.
- NILE SONG** (Russell). Medium sized, full light wine. Fine purple effect.
- NUBIANA** (Hayward). Very dark chocolate red; low growing.
- OPHIR** (Farr). Large, full flowered golden yellow; tall and fine clump.
- PATRICIA** (Stout). Very fine, large pale gold; simply a "must have".
- PEACHBLOW** (Nesmith). Lovely peach tintings over pale gold; best in shade.
- PERFECT DAY** (Russell). Full, round peach bloom in medium size; for shade.
- QUEEN OF GONZALES** (Russell). Huge, early, thick petals of orange; fine.
- RAJAH** (Stout). Large, showy, nasturtium red of fine form. Extra fine.
- ROSE PARADE** (Russell). Full flowers of brilliant, rosy red. Liked here.
- SERENADE** (Stout). Pastel shade of yellow and pink; very tall.
- SUNNY WEST** (Sass). Large, waxy flowers of pale canary yellow.
- VENICE** (Russell). A good real red color and extra fine clump.
- VICTORY** (Russell). Large, rich yellow with a distinct red V.
- WINSOME** (Yeld). Very fragrant, pale creamy, full petaled yellow.

# GENERAL LIST

On orders of \$10.00, or more, you may select 50% more as a GIFT

<b>ATHLONE</b> (Russ.). Very fine bicolor; wide, deep rose petals with eye zone . . .	<b>\$3.00</b>
<b>BLACK FALCON</b> (Nesmith). Large, full, wavy bloom of near black coloring . .	<b>6.00</b>
<b>BOLD WARRIOR</b> (Emig.). Bright brown red bicolor with large, broad form . .	<b>3.00</b>
<b>BRACKEL</b> (Whe.). Large, deep mahogany, feathered in brownish shades . . .	<b>7.50</b>
<b>BURGUNDY</b> (Nesmith). An even, light wine purple color with rose halo . . . .	<b>3.00</b>
<b>CANARI</b> (Nesmith). Palest canary yellow; one of the finest pale ones . . . . .	<b>3.00</b>
<b>DAWN PLAY</b> (Nesmith). Tall, deep velvety rose; simply stunning in clump . .	<b>3.00</b>
<b>DUKE OF TEXAS</b> (Russell). Tall, large, wine red; very nice form . . . . .	<b>1.50</b>
<b>DUNCAN</b> (Whe.). Early flowering self of dark, maroon red; repeats . . . . .	<b>1.50</b>
<b>ELIZABETH</b> (Norton). Extra good, early yellow to plant with the Iris . . . . .	<b>1.00</b>
<b>FAIR MORN</b> (Nes.). Early, bright, clear seashell and Jasper pink bicolor . . .	<b>3.00</b>
<b>FLAMING GLORY</b> (Emig.). Huge, glowing, dark scarlet; orange underglaze	<b>5.00</b>
<b>GARDEN CHARM</b> (Bech.). Unusually wide, huge, golden yellow. Grand . . . .	<b>3.00</b>
<b>GEORGE KELSO</b> (Traub). Very ruffled bicolor of buff and copper; huge . . . .	<b>2.00</b>
<b>GLORIANA</b> (Betscher). An early, golden yellow with fluted edges; repeats . .	<b>1.00</b>
<b>GLORY OF TEXAS</b> (Russell). Huge, wide, ruffled cream and burgundy . . . .	<b>5.00</b>
<b>GOLDEN DREAM</b> (Bets.). Pure golden orange, slightly frilled; fine clump . . .	<b>1.00</b>
<b>GOLDEN WEST</b> (H. P. Sass). Large, clear yellow flowers of fine substance . .	<b>1.00</b>
<b>HANKOW</b> (Species). Fine, large, yellowish orange, bold scarlet eye zone . . .	<b>1.00</b>
<b>HAZEL SAWYER</b> (Whe.). Frilled lavender pink; medium size blooms . . . . .	<b>2.50</b>
<b>HONEY REDHEAD</b> (Nes.). Light, bright red, edged yellow; gorgeous clump	<b>3.50</b>
<b>INDIAN CHIEF</b> (Traub). Attractive, coppery red; one of the largest . . . . .	<b>2.00</b>
<b>JUST MARY</b> (Russell). Lovely and odd yellow veined red; many blooms	<b>2.00</b>
<b>LONE STAR</b> (Russell). Huge, wide spreading bloom; pure fiery red self . . . .	<b>5.00</b>
<b>LUSTROUS</b> (Nesmith). Large, bright pink with a soft, lustrous sheen . . . . .	<b>4.00</b>
<b>MARY GUENTHER</b> (Russ.). Brilliant bicolor, carmine red and rich yellow . .	<b>3.00</b>
<b>MILADY</b> (Nesmith). Deep salmon pink self; pinker than most . . . . .	<b>3.00</b>
<b>MINNIE</b> (Hayward). Rich mahogany flower with a glint of crimson; bright . .	<b>1.50</b>
<b>MISSION BELLS</b> (Hall). Very choice, wide petaled, ruffled, clear yellow . . . .	<b>4.00</b>
<b>MODESTY</b> (Betscher). Very large, early, buttercup yellow . . . . .	<b>.60</b>
<b>MONGOL</b> (Norton). Clear, bright yellow; huge, full bloom . . . . .	<b>4.50</b>

## GENERAL LIST—Continued

<b>MOONBEAM</b> (H. Sass). Palest citron yellow; beautifully formed. Night blooming .....	<b>\$2.00</b>
<b>MOROCCO RED</b> (Nesmith). Velvety morocco red, even coloring; full flower	<b>3.00</b>
<b>MRS. HUGH JOHNSON</b> (Russell). Rich, dark red, satin sheen; holds color..	<b>3.00</b>
<b>ORANGE BEAUTY</b> (Sass). Extremely large, broad, orange self.....	<b>7.50</b>
<b>PAINTED LADY</b> (Russell). Gold-dust and cinnamon; huge and ruffled....	<b>6.00</b>
<b>PINK CHARM</b> (Nesmith). Deep, coral pink; recurved bloom. Extra nice...	<b>3.00</b>
<b>POTENTATE</b> (Nesmith). Beautiful, silky wine-purple self. Quite a purple sheen .....	<b>10.00</b>
<b>PRIDE OF HOUSTON</b> (Russell). Large, bright flame and red; pointed petals	<b>1.50</b>
<b>ROYAL RUBY</b> (Nesmith). Very finest ruby red self; wonderful finish.....	<b>5.00</b>
<b>ROYALTY</b> (Nesmith). Large, true maroon with a velvety blue-purple sheen	<b>3.00</b>
<b>RUBY SUPREME</b> (Whe.). Huge, widely open self of ruby red. Prize winner	<b>3.00</b>
<b>SEMINOLE CHIEF</b> (Lester). An excellent red; one of the finest Daylilies..	<b>3.00</b>
<b>SOUDAN</b> (Stout). Clear, lemon yellow, wide, overlapping petals.....	<b>1.00</b>
<b>STALWART</b> (Cook). Large, tawny red-bronze and orange blend.....	<b>.75</b>
<b>STAR OF GOLD</b> (Sass). Large, light yellow, spreading flowers, waxy texture	<b>1.00</b>
<b>STRONGHEART</b> (Nesmith). Brilliant, deep orange, overlayed glowing English red.....	<b>3.00</b>
<b>SWEETBRIAR</b> (Nesmith). Very large, wide petaled coppery, rose pink....	<b>3.00</b>
<b>SYLVIA</b> (Russell). Very large rose and creamy bicolor; eyed deeper rose...	<b>3.00</b>
<b>TARUGA</b> (Stout). Huge, wide spreading pale yellow; twisted tips. Extra..	<b>2.50</b>
<b>TEMPLE FIRE</b> (Emig.). Huge, self colored dark, fiery red; well liked.....	<b>3.00</b>
<b>THE DIRECTOR</b> (Russell). Wide, ruffled red with darker veinings.....	<b>2.00</b>
<b>WEKIWA</b> (Traub). Large, rich velvety rose red blooms of nice form.....	<b>2.50</b>

**REMEMBER: 50% More on \$10.00, or More, Orders**

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**TERMS:** Cash with order—check, draft or money order. NO orders accepted under \$3.00, please. We make no substitution of varieties, unless second choice is given, and if stock is sold out refund will be made.

We guarantee good, healthy stock, true to name, and that it reaches you in good condition, but we cannot guarantee the growth in your garden.

Any error on our part will be carefully corrected for our success depends on your being satisfied. Include 3% sales tax if order is to be delivered in this state.



# DWARF IRIS

<b>AZUREA.</b>	Lovely, very short, sky-blue. True pumila.	
<b>BEAUTY SPOT.</b>	Glowing plum purple. Honorable Mention, 1949.....	\$ .75
<b>BLACK MIDGET.</b>	Blue-black with very fine form.....	.50
<b>BLUE JADE.</b>	Large, dark blue. Six inches.....	.50
<b>BLUE MASCOT.</b>	Almost chicory blue self. Flaring falls.....	.50
<b>BRICK RED.</b>	Attractive red, just the shade of a brick.....	.50
<b>BRIDE.</b>	Fragrant, pure snow white. Later than most.	
<b>BUZZER.</b>	Light blue with a pink flush. Full petaled.	
<b>CREAM TART.</b>	Cream and olive yellow. Very flaring falls.....	.50
<b>CYANEA.</b>	Rich, crimson purple; throat veined white. Six inches.	
<b>DAY STAR.</b>	Dainty, creamy white Table Iris.....	.50
<b>DIXMUDE.</b>	Rich, violet purple.	
<b>ELF QUEEN.</b>	Best short, pure white. Six inches.....	.50
<b>FIOR DEL MONDO.</b>	Excellent. The best variegata.	
<b>FLORIDA.</b>	Beruffled, cool, soft yellow with nice form.	
<b>GRAMINEA.</b>	Rich, red violet. Lovely color.	
<b>HARBOR LIGHTS.</b>	Extra fine sulphur yellow.	
<b>LADDIE BOY.</b>	Deep, velvety blue purple. Ten inches.	
<b>LEOPOLD.</b>	Deep, rosy amaranth.	
<b>LITTLE JEWEL.</b>	Fine, brown tan blend.	
<b>MAROCAIN.</b>	Very dark, rich red purple; large.	
<b>MIST O' PINK.</b>	This pink one is a "honey".....	1.00
<b>MOON GLEAM.</b>	Near sulphur yellow self. Flaring falls.....	.50
<b>NEGUS.</b>	Velvety blue purple; falls are almost black.	
<b>NEOLA.</b>	Livid violet, shaded sorghum brown.	
<b>OWAISSA.</b>	Fine, uniform, soft, medium blue. Six inches.	
<b>PAPOOSE.</b>	Soft buff and mahogany. Late.....	.50
<b>PINK MAUVE.</b>	Ruffled self; name indicates color.	
<b>PRAIRIE GEM.</b>	Rich shade of orange.	
<b>RED-VIOLET.</b>	Frilly, low, red violet.	
<b>ROSE MIST.</b>	Misty rose pink; very fine.	
<b>SAMBO.</b>	Near black of ruby iridescence. Extra fine.	
<b>SNOW MAIDEN.</b>	Wonderful white clump. Fourteen inches.	
<b>SOUND MONEY.</b>	The very finest, golden yellow, self.	
<b>STATALLEA.</b>	Stylish white, flushed lemon yellow.	
<b>TINY TONY.</b>	Rich, blackish purple; a small Tony.	
<b>TINY TREASURE.</b>	A more dwarf form of Cream Tart.....	.50
<b>TITANIA.</b>	Clear buttercup yellow with beautiful form.	
<b>TONY.</b>	Fine, rich, blackish purple; outstanding color.	
<b>WEE ADMIRAL.</b>	Intense red purple; precise styling.	
<b>YELLOW FRILLS.</b>	Lovely, rich, medium yellow; very frilled.	
<b>YLO.</b>	Dainty yellow with artistic flaring falls. Six inches	
<b>ZUA.</b>	Like pale blue crepe paper; very odd. Late.	

20c each; \$2.00 doz., one of a variety, except where otherwise priced  
The 12 priced at 50c and over for \$5.00

# SIBERIAN IRIS SPECIAL

CAESAR'S BROTHER (Morgan). Black pansy-purple. Best dark one.....	\$1.00
ERIC THE RED (Whitney). Very large and flaring, broad petals of intense wine red. Considered the reddest variety.....	4.00
GATINEAU (Preston). Outstanding, large, clear, sky blue. Attractive.....	1.00
HELEN ASTOR (Whitney-K.). Distinctly different rosy red with a distinct, white halo.....	2.00
RED FLARE (Scheffy). Extra fine, light red, flaring falls. New.....	5.00
SNOW CREST (Gage). Extra large, perfect flowers of white.....	1.00
SNOWY EGRET (Cleveland). Pure white, ruffled flowers; flaring falls....	2.00
TYCOON (Cleveland). Huge, violet blue. Largest of all.....	2.50

One of each of the above for \$12.00, postpaid — Spring delivery

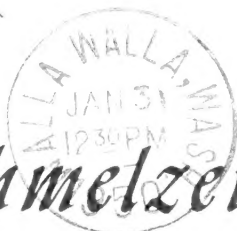
## SPURIA IRIS

DUTCH DEFIANCE (Nies). Large, bold, blue flowers with a yellow signal patch on frilled falls. Extra fine.....	\$5.00
SAUGATUCK (Nies). An appealing harmony of bronze and lavender. Lovely	2.50

These two Spuria Iris and the above collection of Siberians for only \$16.00

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